

Survey to extend Channel beyond Belimallur

112. Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA (Honnali).—

Will the Minister for Public Works be pleased to state:—

whether survey has been conducted for extending the Channel (Anvery Branch) beyond Belimallur village by means of an aqueduct across the halla, between Belimallur and Kotemallur to irrigate the lands of Kotemallur and if so, the results thereof;

A.—Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Minister for Public Works).—

This is under investigation.

Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA:—Will the hon. Minister disclose the extent of land that will be irrigated by this ?

† Sri VEERENDRA PATIL.—It is reported that it is about 333 acres.

Sri D. PARAMESWARAPPA.—At least, can the Government direct the authorities to expedite this matter ?

Sri VEERENDRA PATIL.—That is why we have asked them to investigate and determine the extent. I think investigations are going on.

Bangalore Milk Dairy Scheme

113. Sri A. J. DODDAMETI (Ron).—

Will the Minister for Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, Information and Publicity be pleased to state:—

(a) the amount invested so far in the Bangalore Milk Dairy Scheme under the control of the Government ;

(b) the amount of loss sustained by them every year by this scheme (information since the inception of the scheme may please be furnished) ;

(c) the steps they have taken to prevent this kind of loss ?

A.—Sri D. DEVARAJ URS (Minister For Animal Husbandry, Fisheries, Information and Publicity).—

(a) Rs. 242. 15 lakhs.

(b) 1964-65 : Rs. 157,796-45 (for two months only).

1965-66 : Rs. 12,39,683-06.

1966-67 : Rs. 9,50,989.32.

1967-68 : Rs. 5,08,300-00 (up to end of October 1967).